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For	: RELAY SERVER, RELAY SERVER SERVICE MANAGEMENT METHOD, SERVICE PROVIDING SYSTEM AND PROGRAM	

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir :

Responsive to the mailing of a non-final Office Action of April 3, 2009 in the above-captioned application, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for responding thereto is extended from July 6, 2009 (July 3, 2009, being a Federal Holiday) to September 3, 2009 by a concurrently filed request for a two-month extension of time and payment of the appropriate extension of time fee, Applicant respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of each of the outstanding rejections set forth in the above-mentioned Office Action in view of the herein contained amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

An **Appendix** containing copies of previously submitted PTO-1449 Forms is attached hereto following page 15 of this response.